

CLAIMS:

1. A dynamically configurable user-input interface for interacting with a user, comprising:

a projection unit for projecting (1) a first virtual interface including at least one of a virtual keyboard, a virtual mousepad and at least one virtual mouse button and (2) a second virtual interface including at least one of a virtual keyboard, a virtual mousepad and at least one virtual mouse button to be displayed in place of at least a portion of said first virtual interface;

a motion sensor for determining a position on the first and second virtual interfaces that is interacted with by a user;

a communications controller for communicating the position on the first and second virtual interfaces outside of the user-input interface; and

a controller for controlling the projection unit to switch from the first virtual interface to the second virtual interface.

2. The dynamically configurable user-input interface as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first virtual interface comprises a keyboard interface in a first language and the second virtual interface comprises a keyboard interface in a second language.

3. The dynamically configurable user-input interface as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first virtual interface comprises a keyboard interface and the second virtual interface comprises a mousepad.

4. The dynamically configurable user-input interface as claimed in claim 1, wherein the first virtual interface comprises a keyboard interface and the second virtual interface comprises a mousepad and at least one mouse button.

5. The dynamically configurable user-input interface as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a telephone interface for communicating by phone between the user and a remotely located telephone customer.